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**TRANSMITTAL OF AMENDMENT**

Sir/Madam:

Transmitted herewith are the following:

1. Amendment;
2. Executed Rule 1.132 Declaration of Dr. Christoph Plass;
3. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a);
4. A Return Receipt Postcard.

It is believed that no further fee is required relating to the filing of this Response. If this is not the case, the Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge any related fee to Deposit Account No. 03-0172. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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